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Title: OPTICAL PICKUP DRIVING APPARATUS AND OPTICAL PICKUP  
BEAM SPOT POSITIONING METHOD (AS AMENDED)  
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**SUPPLEMENTAL  
INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98 and to the duty of disclosure set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, the Examiner in charge of the above-identified application is requested to consider and make of record the references listed on the PTO/SB/08a form submitted herewith. A copy of each reference listed on the PTO/SB/08a, other than U.S. patents, is enclosed.

Although the information submitted herewith may be "material" to the Examiner's consideration of the subject application, this submission is not intended to constitute an admission that such information is "prior art" as to the claimed invention.

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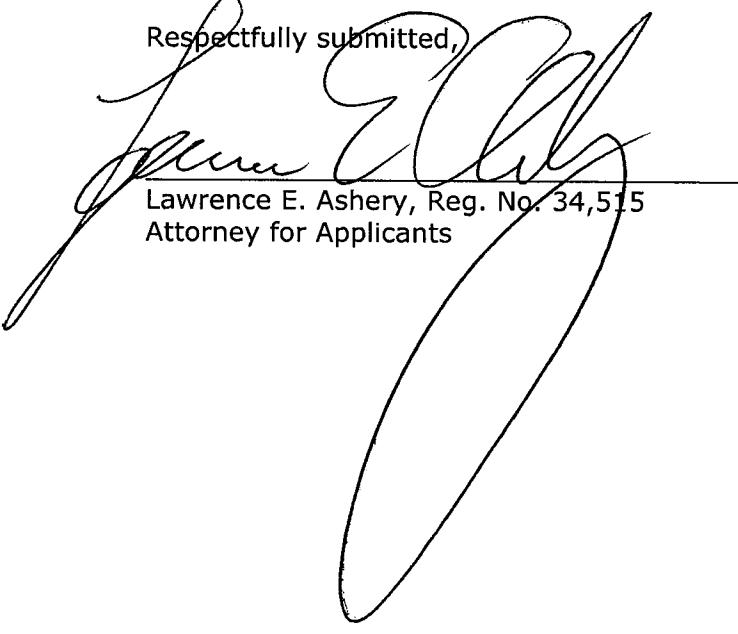
The following references are not in the English language:

- 1) CN 1318830

Reference 1) has a counterpart English language patent application publication attached.

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